

The Cisco Round-Up

CISCO, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1919

NO. 49.

to 20 Dress-Up Week---Cisco, Shopping Center of the Central West

Avenue D, Cisco's Main Business Street.



The above picture was made last week showing the old water main in the ditch, and the new pipe lying along side the ditch, which is now being connected. The new five story home of the Cisco Banking Company now under construction can be seen in the back-ground.

OIL PRODUCTION SHOWS INCREASE

Not Many New Wells but the Producers Making Better Showing

CISCO WELLS GETTING BETTER

RANGER DISTRICT

The daily production in the Eastland county field is slightly above what it was last week, though there is not enough difference to be of any significance. The production is settled down to about 65,000 barrels a day and will not deviate until some new production of importance is added.

There were no big wells completed in the Ranger field during the past week and the wells that came in are of the ordinary size. The wells that are drilling in outside territory, wells that are being watched most closely are showing nothing new this week in Eastland County.

BECKENRIDGE DISTRICT

The daily production in Stephens county is up again this week, after falling off to about 16,000 barrels last week. There was more oil than 16,000 barrels a day produced last week but it was not run, and so not recorded during the previous week.

COMANCHE DISTRICT

The average settled production from Comanche county is 5100 barrels a day this week, the Magnolia Petroleum Co. having 400 barrels a day and the remainder belonging to miscellaneous companies principally the Tex-Penn Oil Co.

Cisco Wells Still Drilling.

The showing in some of the Cisco wells are looking some better, and especially those north of town. The Fee and Ray wells have been making rapid progress lately and have almost reached the 3,000 mark, with some good formations and it is reported unconfirmed, that the Fee well had a little gas. The Schoor and the Brown wells which have been of great interest to the people are still drilling but no additional report to that made last week.

The Round-Up is unable to get correct information as to the wells drilling that is every time a report is given. Some times the oil counts get incorrect information, especially where the company forbids the information to be given out, and many times they jump at conclusions.

Will Likely Drill Near Town.

C. T. McMurray who owns 162 acres within a mile of the city, on the southwest has been offered a drilling contract and the matter is under consideration. Should the trade be closed a derrick will be erected within one mile of the city.

RECEIVES APPOINTMENT FROM GOVERNOR

Frank J. Huey of this city has just received the information from the Secretary of the State that he has been appointed by the Governor as a member of the State Board of Public Accountancy. This is quite a compliment to Mr. Huey and a recognition of his ability.

And the cheapest and most plentiful things in Russia are Bolshevism and death

all of our people. Grover Ellis is one of our new comers. He came here from further west. He likes Cisco and will make it his permanent home. He is having erected in the western part of the city a new bungalow, and is investing in other property.

Dr. A. E. Baten was an educator and was instructor in the Howard Payne College in Brownwood before coming to Cisco. He has been pastor of the First Baptist church here for over a year. The Doctor stated to the Round-Up editor to just continue the work now being done that it was best. Thanks to the Doctor for his encouragement. He is va-

IS IN CROWDED CONDITION, THE RELIEF COMES TOO SLOWLY

Public Places Jammed and Residence Section is Also Uncomfortably Crowded.

Some Timely Suggestions to Those Who Would Make Good Investments; Refinery Building After Declaring a Dividend. Some Personal Mentions.

By G. Fisk.

That Cisco has passed into the city class and that everything is going as in the large cities, both commercial business, and the traffic, the society, the public improvements, in fact everything in the city is moving this way, except those things where the facilities will not permit of it. Take for instance the public places. At the postoffice lines are formed extending out into the sidewalks, people wanting to get their mail. Of course people do not do this in the cities, because the mail has free delivery. But it is caused because of the accommodations in the city for instance early in the morning this long line may be the postoffice waiting for the mail to open, and on account of the crowded condition people can hardly get to the different windows at the postoffice. You take into consideration the small building in which the postoffice is crowded the force is doing good work. At the general delivery window, and there should be two or three of them, the crowds are so large that it is with great difficulty that the other windows are reached. The money order window and the parcel post windows are crowded at times and greatly block the general delivery window. And on account of the mail boxes being limited the crowd calling for their mail is almost twice as large as it should be. The postoffice, or rather the mail service in Cisco is still like a small town, while the traffic moves on like a city. The hotel accommodations are still inadequate. New and large buildings have been put up since the town started to build but they are now much crowded and as people who are coming desire better service it becomes necessary to again get hold of the hotel proposition and to build larger and better equipped buildings. A plan is now under way with outside capital, people who are ready to put \$300,000.00 into a hotel building if Cisco people will give a suitable site. Plans are being worked out and one Cisco man says that he will give one-half of the lot and in a desirable part of the city. This proposition may be put over, but should it go through it would take six months longer to erect it, and if the city grows as fast during the next six months as it has in the past six months it will be ahead of the hotel accommodations even though the \$300,000.00 building has been erected. I want to tell you that our people must plan for bigger things. The postoffice of course is controlled by Uncle Sam, and while an appropriation of \$5,000.00 has been made for the purpose of buying a site, yet an appropriation for a new building cannot be made until Congress meets again. We had the promise of a knocked down building for temporary quarters for the postoffice but this proposition could not be carried through. The Government is now asking for a proposition from parties offering a lease on a building for the postoffice. Of course this lease will hold until a Federal building can be erected which would be at least two years. It is not known if a satisfactory proposition will be made in the meantime the postoffice remains in the small building in a cramped condition. The postoffice and hotels are badly crowded, and that is not all. Take the places of public meetings such as the picture shows. We have two of these running every night, and these are always crowded, and they also how in the afternoons. To meet the needs along this line two new buildings are under construction. H. Judia and John Lauderdale are

having erected on Avenue D a three story building which will be modern and convenient and a double show will be run each afternoon and night. This will be a beautiful building and will accommodate a large crowd. A. L. Mayhew is having constructed on West Broadway, near the Masonic Temple, a brick building which will be occupied by W. W. Williams who is now running the City Hall show. This will be a large and modern building. With these two large buildings the show going people should have sufficient accommodations. The school board has some problems to solve before the children can be comfortably quartered. Temple, a brick building which will open in September. This board had the foresight to arrange a new building last year and was ready for the increased attendance which came, but more room will be needed next year, and the board has in mind the erection of one or two new buildings. The school board seems to have been able to meet the demands caused by the great increase of scholastics, but if immediate work is not done they will be unable to accommodate the increased attendance for the next year. The churches have been a little bit slow to take hold of the present situation, but three of the churches in the city are now planning to have new buildings. The First Baptist church has employed an architect and adopted plans. This church will be put on the lot now occupied by the old church and the parsonage, the parsonage building to be moved. The building will be three stories, or rather a basement and two stories. Special Sunday school equipment together with a combination assembly room and Sunday school rooms so that these may be thrown into one large auditorium which will have a seating capacity of something like 1200. This building when completed and furnished, that is with pipe organ, will cost, is estimated, \$50,000.00. The First Methodist church has employed an architect and has adopted plans. Their church will be erected on the lot where the old church stood, it having been torn down. The building will be a three story building or two stories and the basement. Special Sunday school equipment and departments have been arranged. This church in the main auditorium and balcony will have seating capacity of about 750. The basement will have an auditorium, with a combination Sunday school departments, and the seating capacity will be about 450. The members of the Christian church are still working out their plans, but have as yet adopted none. It is understood, however, that they are soon to build. They have some idea of selling the lot where the old church stands, moving the parsonage to one corner of the parsonage lot and of putting the new church where the parsonage now stands. With these three new churches, and at some near date the Presbyterians anticipate building, Cisco should be able to take care of the church going people, and also the hundreds of children who are attending and will attend the different Sunday Schools. Yes, the church members have been slow but when these buildings have been completed the churches will be ahead of the other improvements in the city. It is thought that within thirty days work will be started on both the Baptist and the Methodist churches, and that the new buildings will be completed within five or six months after the work starts. Take the crowded condition of the residence part of Cisco and you have a great problem to solve, but the

work is going on in a rapid way. In the first place most every house in the town has two families, roomers or boarders, then the new residences are being put up very fast, but not half as fast as is needed. The business men of Cisco have a problem to solve here, and it should be given immediate attention. It is true that we have many new residences now under construction, but not half enough. It is true that we have many new people who have recently moved here who are having their homes built, but not one half as many as should be doing this. It is true that many people have made sacrifices to help provide homes for the people who need them, but not one-half as many as should have done this. The town is fairly over-run with people. For a while it was a problem to get some materials with which to build, but now we have many new lumber yards, and the Government has released all kinds of materials. People who stop long enough to figure the profit on the investment are surely interested in building residences, if they can possibly raise the money. Every man and woman living in Cisco who is able should have erected as many residences as they can. A better investment cannot be made. The person who builds does not only get the benefit of the advance in price of property but they are receiving from the monthly rentals a revenue that will far surpass most any other investment, and it is much safer. The reporter in conversation with a man who has recently erected a new house, and he stated that he had leased his building for a price that would pay for the entire building within three years, and he was assured that he would get this money because he had a three years lease. This was a rooming house, and the parties leasing it is making big money. What these two men are doing other men of Cisco may do, and not only will they make big money but they will render great service to both the city and to the public. People are willing to pay a good price for accommodations. They are willing for the people who invest their money to get big returns on it, but of course they do not want to be held up, and the people can make good money without doing this. The men who built residences some few months ago, have been selling them at a handsome profit, while numbers of men refuse to sell the residences which they have constructed. They figure that they will still get an additional profit. Some men who bought lots at a small cost could now sell the lot for what both the lot and the building cost. Some six months ago the people who have lived here for many years thought that property was selling at high prices but they have seen it double since, and people who now think that property is high will see it greatly advance in price before another six months. And the man who takes advantage of the present will find that an in-

vestment now will mean a big profit, and at the same time his money will be bringing a good revenue. The men of Cisco who have money, or for that matter, those who have credit, could enter into this building campaign and make some good money, and at the same time help to make a real city out of Cisco. In the meantime we have a crowded condition and the problem should be solved, and the relief given to the people. We have some people living in garages, barns, tents, and in fact taking any place that is offered them. Not only is the condition crowded in the residence part of Cisco, but likewise in the business district. The demand for houses is getting so great that a number of our business men are adding other stories to their one and two story buildings. Geo. Winston is having the roof raised on his business house and will have the second floor of it made into offices. Mr. Winston is doing this for two reasons. One is that he will get a good price for the building, splendid revenue, and the other reason is that he is a progressive man and is willing to help build a city. Likewise with Rev. W. R. Chandler who once made his home in Cisco but now lives in Springdale, Ark. He owns the building which is being occupied by the Dean Drug Co. He came to Cisco some two or three weeks ago and sold some lots and immediately planned to put another story on this building which is already two-stories. He leased the building for a good price and left orders for the work to begin and it is now in progress. What these two gentlemen are doing can be done by most any man or woman owning a business house in Cisco, and people are waiting to take the space at good prices. Take the work now in progress on Avenue D, which includes the taking up of the old water pipe and the laying of the new water main, and the paving of the street, and it has caused a great inconvenience to the public but if the work is done the people must bear with it. It is true that the work has been delayed, and many people think unnecessarily, but when it has been finished we will have a street that will be good for a city of five times the present size of Cisco. The traffic has been congested, and especially during the time when it has been so muddy, it has been very inconvenient. And too the building on Avenue D has almost blocked the street at times, that is together with the torn up condition of the street improvements is in progress. With the material stacked in the streets for the Cisco Banking Co. building, a five story building, and just across the street is the Lauderdale and Judia building, a three-story structure, and in the same block has been the Troxell building, a one-story brick, and in the same block is the large building which is being constructed by the Cisco Gas & Electric Co. This building covers almost half of a block. And in the next block is

the construction of the large building by the Rockwell Bros. and Co. The building materials stacked in the streets has been very bad, but we are willing that they should remain this way so long as the building continues. Thus you will readily see that the postoffice, the hotels are crowded, the shows have large attendance, the churches need larger and better buildings, the business district needs more and larger buildings, the schools need more buildings and in fact the entire city is cramped. What are our people going to do about it? True they are working at it, but not enough of them. Liberty Refining Company The Liberty Refining Company, some few months ago completed their \$200,000.00 refinery plant in Cisco and began its operation, the oil coming from the Ranger fields. The capacity of this refinery is five cars a day, and fully fifty per cent of this finished product is shipped out of the state. On the first of this month a quarterly dividend was declared and five per cent was paid to the stockholders, which of course means that they will get at least 20 per cent from their investment for the year, and what better would a person want? This company is now arranging to sell additional stock for the purpose of enlarging the plant double the present capacity, and for the purpose of building a pipe line to Ranger. This pipe line will have a maximum capacity of 8,000 barrels per day, which will accommodate two or three other refineries which contemplate building here. Work on this line is to be started some time soon and will be completed by mid-summer. The refinery has 13 storage tanks and has a shipping capacity of 20 cars at a time. It has three stills, pumping station, water cooling condenser, and there are 13 men employed at this refinery, and they are high price men, and are experts. This plant has modern equipment, and Geo. Ames who is president is one man of a hundred who knows how to do things. He came to Cisco and started this refinery under many difficulties, but he put it through and at a time when Uncle Sam had restrictions on materials, but Ames knew how to do it. He is making money for the stockholders and is proving to them that no misrepresentations were made to them when they bought the stock. This refinery is a great asset to Cisco, and the men who are working with it are making our best citizens. This plant is in operation twenty-four hours every day. If you have not visited the plant you will be surprised to see what we have in Cisco, to take a drive or a stroll out to the plant. T. J. Smith is one of our old timers. He is a pioneer preacher and has contributed very materially in helping to build Cisco. He is a painter and contractor. He has been here

AM PREPARED TO GIVE ESTIMATES ON THE SMALLEST AND LARGEST

Classified Locals

Cisco Land Co., for Bargains in City Property. 42tf

For Sale: My barn, red palings and cedar posts.—Mrs. M. E. Aycock. 48 2tp

For Sale: Some business lots. Inquire at the Round-Up office. 4tf

Lost: Monday on streets a cameo brooch. Finder leave with Lloyd Winston and get reward. 1tp

For Results—List your property with Cisco Land Co.—H. E. Carter Manager.

For Rent. 65 acres to reliable farmer, phone 36 or see Mrs. J. E. Kincaid or C. J. Kleimer.

Wanted: Experienced salesman and salesladies for to-morrow. Apply at Nime Dry Goods Co. 1tc

For Sale: My home close in, six rooms, all conveniences.—Wm. H. Mayhew. 49tf

For Sale: One new 1200 lb. safe, terms. One large second hand refrigerator.—Moblely Hotel. 1tc

For Sale or Trade: Six brood mares and one jack.—G. H. Snyder Romney, Texas. 44-49x

The Columbus Grafonolas are the best—backed by established reputation. The Electric Shop, opposite

Pasturage—For horses and cattle, plenty grass and water.—Fred Davies, Cisco, Texas. 46-3tp

Wanted to Rent: Two furnished rooms close in, no children. Notify Mrs. Marvin Elliott at Nime's Dry Goods Co.

Hay for Sale: I have some good Peterita and Maize hay for sale at 50c and 60c per bale. Phone 394.—Henry Stroebel. 483tp

For Trade: One registered saddle and harness Stallion for a Ford car.—E. E. Brunley, Care of Central Cafe. 4tc 46

Wanted: Name and address of every reader of this paper wanting a sure cure for granulated sore eyes.—Box 94, Blum, Texas. 1tp

For Sale: One five passenger Paige and one Dodge roadster, practically new and in first class condition.—Texas Plumbing Co., Ave. D, phone 473.

For Sale: Barred Rocks, Thompson Ringlet strain, guaranteed full blood. 15 eggs \$1.25; \$6.50 per 100, will bring them to Cisco. Write or phone me.—T. E. Clark, Cisco, Texas, R. 3. 47-2tp

Notice: I pack, crate and move goods as regular piano truck. Phone your orders to 61.—C. A. Jutson, transfer. 48 2tp

Lost or Stolen: Extra casing 34 x4 with rim off of Buick-six. Return to Oil Exchange for reward.—Wm. H. Mayhew. 1tc

For Sale: For cash a 1916 model Chevrolet car. Will sell at a bargain.—E. A. Newman, R. 3, Box 33, Cisco, Texas. 492tp

Strayed or Stolen: A small mule and a bay mare, the latter branded O on left jay. Will give \$5 for each whereabouts.—E. B. Smith, Cisco, Texas. 1tp

Notice: Until further notice our store will open at eight o'clock in the morning and will close at seven o'clock in the evening.—Nime Dry Goods Co.

Wanted: Man and wife at rig, woman to cook for small crew, no children, good place and wages.—Phone 9013-5 rings, or address W. D. Bowen, care Turner & Co. 1tp

Lost: Bunch of keys on ring, attached to belt clip, small screw driver on ring with keys. Leave at Mobley Hotel. Reward.—F. W. Roberds. 1tp

Real Estate Wanted: We are selling Real Estate, if you have some to sell and at the right price we will get results.—Cisco Land Co.—H. E. Carter, Manager.

BUICK CAR TO TRADE

FOR SALE
My five room, bungalow with screen porch and bath room, nearing completion, price with 55 foot lot in City Park addition only \$2,000. Phone 146. 47tf

Wanted: Men or Women to take orders among friends and neighbors for the genuine guaranteed hosiery full line for men and women and children. Eliminates darning. We pay 50c an hour spare time or \$24 a week for full time. Experience unnecessary. Write International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa. 49-8tp

Wanted: Two bright girls between the ages of 17 and 22 who are permanently located to learn telephone operating. Must have grammar school education and prepared to enter our school at once. Apply to manager or chief operator.—The Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company. 41 tf

CISCO LODGE NO. 196 KNIGHT OF PYTHIAS will meet in regular session at 8 o'clock Friday night. Work in rank of Esquire. Visiting members are cordially invited.

Wm. H. MAYHEW, C. C.
J. C. EPLER, K. R. & S.

ROY C. GRIFFIN SAYS
"Advertising is to the merchant, what good roads are to a city."

The merchant must advertise to get out of the rut, and the town must get the rut out of their roads before it will realize what it should.

We can spend thousands of dollars, repairing roads in the county doing a little here and a little there when it has to be done, and never accomplishing anything worth while either. Now as we all know there is a right way to do everything. The question is, how long will it take us to wake up to this fact. Advertising is coming to be recognized as one of the biggest assets a merchant can have, and the good thing about it is that it is within the reach of all, the poor and the rich alike. Printers ink has made more wheels turn than any other factor in the worlds industry. Printers ink is the best salesman in the world. There are many kinds of advertising, expert advertising men and national advertising agencies have proved that the newspaper way is best for genuine profitable results. The Round-Up offers you the services of an advertising man, it offers the circulation and the service, phone 89.

WATCH OUT:
For our ad when we get our plant completed.—Cisco Steam Laundry.

UPPER TEN
Flour is best for Baking.—Stokes & Winston, Groceries.

WHO IS YOUR GROCER?
Stokes and Winston for satisfaction. 49c

SERVICE
And quality will be our motto.—Cisco Steam Laundry. 49tf

FOR SALE
1 J. I. Case Steam Engine, 40 hp. 1 Steam boiler, 40 hp., at a bargain. See Cisco Steam Laundry. 49tf

Not being able to personally thank you, we take this means of showing you our appreciation for the splendid attendance at the opening of our Drug Store in the Daniel's Building.

Kindly accept our thanks for your assistance in making the opening a grand success.

We will appreciate your patronage and will spare no effort in trying to please you at all times. Give us the privilege of serving you and you may be assured to receive satisfaction, "SERVICE" is our MOTTO.

TO THE PUBLIC OF CISCO

Clark Drug Co.,
Phone 452
Cisco, Texas

Quality Counts

We make a Specialty of Cabinet Fixtures and Stair work

If you want any kind of fixtures for home or office, be sure and get our estimates.

We are located just South of the T. & P. Freight Office

CISCO PLANING MILL CO

L. T. WEATHERS, Mgr.
CISCO, TEXAS

This store, in improving its service, is accommodating more homes.

IT IS GROWING

We are now installing an up-to-date meat market in the store. Mr. H. L. Paul, formerly of Oklahoma City, but more recently with Turner Meat Market, will have charge of the Meat Shop. Mr. Paul is an experienced man in this line, so you will be assured of getting just what meat you want at every meal.

Meat will be delivered only with Grocery Orders.

E. V. Graham & Co.

SELECT MEATS OF ALL KINDS
"Top Quality" Groceries Phone 234 Fast Delivery
Adolphus Bread Cisco Flour

RAILROAD MEETING
A large crowd of men and women assembled in the city hall on Monday night of this week for the purpose of discussing the proposed railroad from Cisco to Breckenridge. The auditorium was pretty well filled. R. Q. Lee called the meeting to order, Alex Spears acted as secretary and Rev. J. S. Stockard offered the opening prayer.

Mr. Lee stated the object of the meeting and went into details, fully explaining to the people. Dr. J. J. Kellam, of Dallas, spoke on the importance of the building of this railroad, and a splendid speech it was.

J. J. Butts stressed in his speech the importance of the people getting behind the proposition.

Judge J. H. Calhoun called the attention of the people to the fact that the railroad would increase the value of all property in Cisco.

John H. Garner made another one of his good speeches, telling those present that the proposition should be put over.

R. Q. Lee called for those who would take stock, explaining that this would be a splendid investment. A committee had already worked the town, but quite a number present took stock and the total was pushed up considerably.

The committee is continuing their work and it is thought that within a short time the necessary stock will have been sold.

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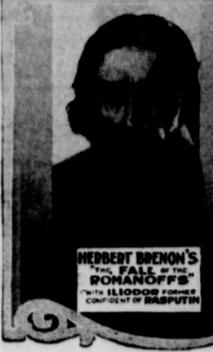
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Friday, April 4th, 1919



ALICE JOYCE

"The Fall of the Romanoffs"

Among the greatest pictures of America.
Matinee 10-20c Evening 15-25c

And

"LATEST NEWS"

THURSDAY, APRIL 17th
William Fox Presents
Gladys Brockwell
In the greatest stage hit in 25 years
The Strange Woman
With
"LATEST NEWS"

FRIDAY, APRIL 18th
Vitagraph-Blue Ribbon Feature
Alice Joyce
IN
"Everybody's Girl"
With
CHRISTIE COMEDY
Also
"Man of Might"
(SECOND CHAPTER)

Saturday, Apr. 19
William Fox Presents
"The Prussian Cur"



Revelations by Captain Horst von der Goltz, self-confessed German Spy. Expose of Enemies at home and the Invisible Embassy of Germany.

ARBUCKLE COMEDY
that will make you shake with laughter and shout with joy.
Matinee 10-20c Evening 15-25c

City Hall Theatre

The Woodstock is the typewriter you will eventually buy; let's trade today. Can make quick delivery--F. E. Shepherd, Agent.

STOKES & WINSTON successors to GEO. WILSON, GROCER
 Carry at all Times Complete Stock of Fancy Quality Groceries. Fresh Vegetables
 Day. Prompt Delivery. Courteous Service. A Share of Your Patronage Appreciated.
Yours to Serve, STOKES & WINSTON Cisco, Texas

MAN DIES OF HEARTFAILURE

This morning at the residence of J. E. Luse, Arthur L. Powers, a contractor, was found dead in his bed, and the indications were that he had been dead about six o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Powers was working on the building which is being constructed at the electric light plant and came in to his room after eating his supper and from indications he had put on his glasses and had gotten a book and had

begun reading, and from the reason that he had not turned on the light, it is thought that he died soon after he went to his room which was about six o'clock. Justice of the Peace, J. H. McDonald, held an inquest over the body, and came to the decision as above stated.

The remains are being held for instructions from the relatives living in Dallas, and more than likely the body will be sent there for burial.

He was about fifty-five years of age.

RANGER HAS DISASTEROUS FIRE

Ranger, Texas April 7.—Almost two square blocks of the business district of Ranger were wiped out by the fire Sunday about night. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

Before the flames had died away owners of destroyed structures were planning to rebuild. Efforts already are being made to have building materials rushed into Ranger so that reconstruction can start immediately.

One man, who has not yet been identified, was killed by falling off a roof during the fire. The police announced that three Mexicans had been arrested for looting immediately following the fire.

Under provisions of a recently passed city ordinance, only fireproof buildings can be erected in these two blocks, as they are in the fire district—in the very heart of Ranger.

Several of the largest restaurants of Ranger were burned to the ground. It is impossible for the remaining cafes to take care of the business, the new city government of Ranger will erect improvised eating houses and put up tents to take care of the overcrowded situation.

The Wilson Hotel was the pivot of the fire, the flames eating in two directions from it. The McCleskey Hotel, across the street from the burned area became ignited several times but was saved.

J. A. Craven of Waco, owner of the Stock Exchange, which was destroyed by the flames was seriously injured during the fire. As he was removing valuable documents from his place of business he was struck in the head with an ax by a man who was tearing away some of the frame structure. He was brought to Fort Worth on the first train out of Ranger and was taken to St. Joseph's Infirmary. The wound will not prove fatal.

The district that was destroyed consisted mostly of frame buildings erected quickly to take care of the constantly increasing abnormal population attracted to Ranger by oil. The buildings, some of which had only pasteboard walls, burned fast. For a few minutes it looked as if the entire business part of Ranger would be burned to the ground. A change of wind, together with the bucket brigade's fighting, however, prevented the flames from extending farther than they did.

One of the blocks that was wiped out was bounded by Main, Rusk, Walnut and Austin Streets. The only buildings remaining on the entire square were the Terrell Drug Store and the Terrell building both near Austin and Rusk and across the street from the Farmers and Merchants Bank. The Terrell Drug Store received some water and smoke damage.

The other block is bounded by Main, Austin, Travis and Walnut streets.

Oil drillers, proprietors and employees of the burning establishments women and children, joined in the bucket brigade fight. Employees of a carnival show that is now at Ranger also joined in the brigade's struggle to keep the fire from destroying the entire town.

Water was scarce, and had it not been for the recent rains the fire fighters would have had an even more difficult task. Nearby tanks had been filled by the heavy rains. There was only one hydrant with running water in the vicinity of the fire.

Ranger's bucket brigade organized before the real oil boom came was not able to meet the situation. Business men of Ranger had been fearing the fire and had realized that if a fire should ever get under way it would wipe out at least a block. They had already started a movement to secure adequate fire fighting apparatus. The need of such equipment was one of the reasons Ranger was recently incorporated.

Probably none of the property owners will feel their loss any more than will John Ray, owner of the Humphrey Restaurant, which was an entire loss. Ray recently was discharged from the army and went to the oil fields to begin a civilian life again. He had purchased the restaurant only a few weeks ago for \$8,000 with no insurance. Write the Literature for exceptions.

because insurance rates could not be secured due to the buildings being of frame structure and because of the inadequate fire protection.

Some of the smaller buildings were dragged from their locations with the hope of saving them. Chains were tied around them and they were pulled aside by auto trucks only to be eaten up by the flames a few minutes later.

Nearly all of Ranger began to move when the fire started to spread. Thinly clad guests left their hotels and rooming houses. Fixtures were dismantled and placed in the street. A few home owners near the business districts moved their belongings in wagons to the edge of the town. As the smoldering flames were doing their last bits of damage about 2:00 o'clock Monday morning a heavy rain started. Merchandise that had been saved and placed in the streets was water soaked.

The Wilson Hotel, the center of much oil activity because of its 21 offices on the first floor, was destroyed. It was owned by Flippin-Sudreth & Shane and was operated by Mrs. Mable Wilson, who owned all the furnishings. The hotel, although a frame building, was well equipped. It had fifty rooms on the second floor. It was built about five months ago.

Among the concerns that were destroyed are: Ratliff Bakery, Acme Laundry, Little Taylor Shop, Ranger Stock Exchange, Ragtown Cafe, Texas Bakery and Restaurant, Western Union office in rear of Wilson Hotel, Guaranty State Bank in corner of Wilson Hotel, C. & A. Clothing Store, Scott's Cafe, Wilson's Pool Hall, barber shop and restaurant; Oklahoma Eating House, American Restaurant, Mike's Place, Majestic Theatre, Majestic Restaurant, Ranger Auto and Electric Company, Humphreys restaurant, Humphrey's Hotel, Racket Store, West Texas Auto Supply Company, David Kessler's jewelry store and a rooming house and large dance hall which were being constructed.

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See the stock and and get our prices.

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FOUR hundred years ago, in the Forest of Arden, a young girl played on a harp. A man reclined before her enraptured by the music she made. Suddenly she stopped and the man exclaimed in ecstasy, "If music be the food of love, play on."

Very differently today, we hear our music. It is different music too, as far above the music that held Orlando spell-bound, as the tones of the great modern orchestra are above those of Rosalind's simple harp. Small wonder is it then that we too are enthralled.

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The NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

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Notices advertising entertainments,
dinners, etc., where a charge is made,
will be charged for at the regular adver-
tising rate.

If the peace conference quarrels
where can we look for peace?

Any one want a crown? There are
several to be had in Europe for sale
cheap

The cradle of Bolshevism could
not have been furnished with a pacifier.

Talk about keeping Lent did you
ever know anything that could do
it better than an umbrella?

We do not hear anything from
Von Gott. Can it be possible that
he was lost in the shuffle.

The ex-Kaiser now states that he
never desired war. Can it be that
his memory is failing?

We must remember that the peace
treaties have had very little pre-
vious experience in making peace
treaties.

Now Germany is instructing the
peace conference as to what sort of
peace treaty she will sign. Who
won the war?

Virtue is said to be its own re-
ward. Cheerfulness is not only its
own reward, but the delight of every
one else.

If the weather conditions are favor-
able in 1919, it looks as if the
United States would at least have
wheat and more wheat

Dr Hoover's prescription for Bol-
shevism: Half a pound of bread,
half a pound of meat and a quart
of tea taken three times daily

It must take all the silk mills in
France to manufacture the quantities
of white-silk embroidered souvenir
pillows and handkerchiefs that the
boys are bringing home.

When the discharged soldier realize
that if they eat as much as they
want at the present prices, there will
be nothing left for drink they will
probably endorse prohibition.

A young man is rather proud of
being gained forty pounds while in
the army. But when he finds that
he is not crowd into the civilian
clothes at he was depending on, he is
to change his point of view.

On a smart man "does not
For he is because he lacks cour-
age. Cheeverness. Many men in-
stead of paramount good only
be outwitted by some other who
the capital and the brains to get
away from the originator. There
should be a great patent for Original-
ity—a method of protecting the
less mined brain form the clutches
of the silver-domed capitalist who
always keeps open port for the un-
tiring labors of other beings.

The saddest reading in these days
is the household expense account.

We are glad that Elihu Root has
expressed himself on the League of
Nations. Whether people agree with
him or not, his clear common sense
is sure to shed light on any subject
it touches.

Living anywhere in Europe now
must be about as safe and comfort-
able as residing near the crater of
a volcano or sitting on the safety
valve of one of the Mississippi steam
boats.

Remember every fly you see this
time of year is a potential ancestor.
If it lives until the last of August it
will be the progenitor of millions.
Swat it immediately, and so swat its
million descendants.

The peace conference has a great
way of finishing what it has begun.
When the news came that Hungary
had gone bolshevik it was discussing
the German trans-atlantic cables,
and it took it two hours more to
finish with that subject and turn its
attention to Hungary.

The Yankee soldiers have not been
able to make acquaintance with the
French dogs, because the dogs do
not understand English. They pay
no attention to a simple "Come
here," but obey instantly when a
Frenchman says "Venez-z ici."

A writer in a London magazine
tells us that at first the birds of
France and Belgium were panic-
stricken by the war. Six or seven
months after the war began an un-
usual number of birds were observed
in England of species which at the
same time had become very scarce
in France. But after a few months
the birds, just as soldiers do, adapted
themselves to the condition of
war. They came near to the armies
with the greatest confidence. Ground
birds made their nests and reared
their young in thistle patches in No-
Mans' Land. The trenches be-
came overrun with rats and mice,
consequently owls and kestrels (a
specie of hawk) made their appear-
ance and hunted fearlessly in the
trenches themselves. And the kest-
rels sometimes built their nests in
the barbed wire entanglements. A
lark in one of the severest bombard-
ments at Verdun hovered above the
French troops and sang cheerfully.
The birds seemed to become accus-
tomed to the sound of heavy artillery
and to pay it little attention. Dif-
ferent birds called to give warning
of the approach of airplanes. They
evidently heard the sounds of the
planes before human ears could dis-
tinguish them. Storks became inter-
ested in the airplanes and would
sometimes alight on the machines
that were coming down from a flight.
The birds which so bravely endured
the terrors of war will probably be
delighted to have their homes in
peace again.

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actually a double range.
Double every thing—Double fuel,
Double Oven Capacity, Double cook-
ing top, Double Season. This is the
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days. A double Range. "Combination"
Gas, Coal or wood suit your self, saves
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WHISKEY SELLING AT VERY HIGH PRICES

Bootleggers are selling whiskey in
Eastland county, it is said, and are
getting \$20.00 and upward per
quart. A party living in Cisco told
a Round-Up reporter this week that
he had been offered a quart of whis-
key for \$20.00 or was told that if
he could use but a pint that he
could have that for \$10. This is
pretty high price and most of the
would-be buyers turn it down, but
still there are a few who are willing
to pay this price. Parties told a
Round-Up reporter also that they
had good authority that a still was
running some place near Ranger.

It has been reported through the
daily press that a still had been
located at near Fort Worth and at
one or two other places in Texas. No
doubt the difficulties with which the
bootleggers meet bringing the liquor
into Texas, has caused some of them
to decide that it would be safer to
operate a still than it would be to
try to get by the officers with the whis-
key. The laws will be violated for
some time, just like all other new
laws, but after the officers have made
example the violators will gradually
submit, and it is very essential to
see to it that none but those men
who will see to it that the laws are
enforced be elected as peace officers.
When the law was passed prohib-
iting the carrying of pistols by per-
sons other than peace officers it was
the most difficult law to enforce,
and hundreds of people still violate
this law, but still it is a good law.
So with the prohibition law. Men
who favor the selling of liquor will
preach that the law does not prohib-
it trying to make votes. Such is
the case with any law. If the laws
were not violated we would have no
use for jails and criminal courts.
The law prohibiting the sale of
whiskey will be violated just as the
other laws are violated, no one ex-
pects the law to be prohibitive, until
all the criminals have been either
sent to the penitentiary, reformed
or turn their toes to the daises, and
neither does the fellow who is shout-
ing that prohibition does not prohib-
it.

RANCH AND FARM LOANS

I will lend you money on your
farm on reasonable terms and rate.
Large loans preferred.—R. E. L.
Myers, 811-12 Scarbrough Bldg.,
Austin, Texas. 49-4fc

DELCO LIGHT FOR SALE

I have a Delco lighting plant for
sale if taken at once. This Delco
plant has 32 battery cells, has 100-
32 volt tampe with a charging vol-
tage of 40; battery voltage 32; amps
20. I will sell this plant installed
or will sell and let purchaser have
it installed. This plant is in No. 1
condition and it will have my per-
sonal guarantee.—G. N. Mahaney,
Phone 192.

AS TO DISCHARGING SOLDIERS

Cisco, Texas, April 7th, 1919.
To dependents and parents of sol-
diers now overseas of Eastland coun-
ty, I wish to inform all that I am
being appealed to scores of depend-
ents and relatives of our boys now
in France and other foreign fields
that I am not in position to render
any assistance to those desiring these
boys to be discharged from further
service overseas. I am always will-
ing and anxious to render any patri-
otic service to you, but in this matter
I cannot render any assistance fur-
ther than advise you that the latest
instructions to be followed in seek-
ing the early discharge of our boys.
Certain affidavits must be made by
dependents as well as the soldier de-
siring early discharge. I am to day
sending Congressman Blanto the fol-
lowing telegram: Thinking that he
may be able to render some service
in this capacity.

Cisco, Texas, April 7, 1919.
Hon. Thos. L. Blanton, Congressman,
Washington, D. C.

Dependents of soldiers overseas
appealing to me to help get boys
home. Men badly needed to assist
soon in harvesting biggest grain and
feed crops promised in history of this
western country. Farmers unable
to hire laborers to make crops on
thousands of good farms. Condi-
tions in this section serious and
these men needed at home. Can you
help get quick action. Daily ap-
peals to officials of county councils
defense coming in large numbers.—
Joseph W. GREGORY, Chairman,
Eastland County Council of Defense,
Washington, D. C. April 7.
Dr. Joseph W. Gregory,
Cisco, Texas, Chairman Council of
Defense.

Replying you the people of this
country can thank Samuel Gompers,
the Autocratic Master of organized
labor for keeping 500000 boys still
in service idling in camps doing ab-
solutely nothing and now unneces-
sary to our military safety he having
demanded that demobilization not
be made speedily because would have
tendency to reduce labor schedules,
he having threatened that he and
unions will not stand for any re-
duction of war time wage schedules.
His action costing this government
millions of dollars besides keeping
thousands of brave boys from their
homes and families, yet the people
of this nation truckle to unions and
anarchy and passively stand for it.
Do you know why not a daily news-
paper can open its mouth against an
union domination because each edition
depends upon it. While most Con-
gressmen are enjoying needed vaca-
tion rest I have been working since
adjournment from 12 to 16 hours a
day, doing everything within my
power to get unneeded soldiers back
home.—Thos. L. Blanton.

HOW THE CANNERIES HAVE CANNED.

When with our entry into the war
the government called for more
canned foods, how did the country
respond?

Our farmers, always patriotic,
raised more vegetables than ever,
and the canning plants took care of
them. They formed the link be-
tween the production of the farmer
and the needs of the government.

The amounts which the govern-
ment required for the army were
stated in terms of millions of cans.
For instance, the 1918 tomato
pack was 480 million cans, of which
the government took 45 per cent.
In order to produce this quantity the
canning plants put in many improve-
ments which conserved labor and in-

CREATED OUTPUT.

And when the harvesting
tomatoes outrun the farmer's
abilities, in many localities
people turned in and helped
the crop.

Wisconsin is the region for peas,
and produced the greater part of the
1918 pack of 288 million cans, of
which the government took 25 per
cent. The amount of corn canned
was nearly the same and the govern-
ment took a like proportion.

Canned baked beans and canned
fruit were produced in quantities and
the fish canneries ran day and night.
Farmers and canners must work
equally hard this year for after the
army is demobilized the starving
nations of Europe will require all
that we can spare for them.

THE TRUSTEE ELECTION

Last Saturday four school trustees
were elected for the school in this
independent district. Only 21 votes
were cast in this election and the re-
sult was as follows:

J. H. Bullock, 21 votes.
S. E. Hittson, 20 votes.
A. J. Olson, 21 votes.
E. P. Crawford, 21 votes.

Table listing names and titles for 'The' section, including Mrs. Charles Thompson, Prof. L. A. Gordon, Miss Eunice Gates, Mrs. Charles Beachmann, Mrs. Journey, Prof. L. A. Gordon, Miss Grace Lee Rominger, Prof. L. A. Gordon, Miss Eunice Gates, Prof. L. A. Gordon, Mrs. Ryder, Mr. C. Beachmann, Prof. L. A. Gordon, Miss Joyce Langston, Mrs. Brashe, Prof. L. A. Gordon.

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INTERESTING STORY OF OVERSEAS TRIP

Cisco Boy Tells of the Joys and Thrills of Voyage Across the Atlantic with the A.E.F.

BY WILEY KARKALITS

To the average man in the uniform of the dear old United States, the prospect of overseas service has been the foremost thought in his mind since the date of his enlistment. This fond hope has been the incentive for much hard work and his willingness to exert every energy to do, during the period of his training so that when his unit is ordered to embark he will be numbered among the most fit for the big task that lies ahead of him. Realizing the many hardships that he will be called upon to endure and the many sacrifices—perhaps that of his life—that he will be expected to make in the true American spirit; he is only too eager for the opportunity to get across and demonstrate to the world, the kind of stuff that American youth and manhood is composed of. It is also in quite sure, the spirit of adventure that appeals to the youthful American along with his desire to be of service to his country, when the sacred rights of freedom and liberty, for which our forefathers fought and died, are being challenged by a ruthless foe to civilization.

Pal and I, being "average" Amer-

ican boys in uniform, had been anxiously awaiting the time when we would realize our dreams of foreign service, being less fortunate than others who had gone before, in that fate had decreed that our services were required in the States for a period of almost a year due to the shortage of personal at our respective fields. Finally, when orders came for a limited number of men from each field in the United States, to go "over" and we were so fortunate as to be selected, it was with a feeling little short of envy that our comrades bade us farewell and unanimously declared us "born of the Gods of Luck."

For military reasons, some very interesting and amusing incidents occurring from the time we left camp until our arrival at the gang-plank, are omitted.

The cry, "Everybody Up, Everybody Up" at 4:00 A. M. on the Sunday morning that we were to board the giant steamer seemed much harsher than the usual tone of voice of our acting "Tap Sarg" who came around in the early morning hours beseeching us to get up, threatening us with everything short of hanging in the way of punishment, if we did not obey him. Upon hearing such curt commands, each sleepily-eyed soldier drowsily pushed back his blankets, peered cautiously out and in his subconsciousness wondered, "What's the Big Idea?" We soon realized that this was the "morning of mornings" and as none of us could be depended upon to arouse the detachment at this unseemly hour; our Lieutenant had detailed a guard to get us out in time.

Everyone was out and prepared at

4:15, to partake of the wholesome breakfast the last that we were to enjoy in the U. S. for some time. The Swedish cook realizing this, seemed to have exerted his best efforts on the meal, evidently to express his kind departing thoughts toward our outgoing detachment and his personality expressed the usual apprehension for our Bon-Voyage.

After breakfast, we had only fifteen minutes in which to bundle up our packs, adjust our horse-shoe rolls, consisting of three blankets, one overcoat, one raincoat, one "dog tent," two days' emergency rations, toilet articles extra clothing "hob-nailed cruisers," and "tin derby", and get into formation. In spite of the fact that we were inexperienced in the art of packmaking, the Lieutenant insisted that any men who were not ready at 4:30 would be left behind. Strange to say, 4:30 found every mother's son of us eagerly climbing into the waiting trucks, some still laboriously struggling into their harness and some with a considerable portion of their equipment in their arms, trying to find room on the overcrowded trucks.

On the way to the Garden City station, we passed regiment after regiment from Camp Mills hiking to the station, not so fortunate as regards the motor trip as ourselves, but ever bit as happy. In a very short time we were at the station where we boarded a special train and soon found ourselves at a dock on the East Side of East River. From this point we were ferried down East River, thru Lower Bay and across the Hudson to the dock where our transport, The Princess Matoika (a captured German Liner) was anchored. Of course, after our rushed preparations and speedy trip by truck, rail and water, the Medical Officer at the port elected to try our temperature (there's always somebody "snooping" around trying to find something wrong with a fellow who is about to go over, that will detain him at the port) and strange to say, none were found to be above normal.

While we were standing there with our eighty pound packs all but bending us double (each man secretly analyzing his opinion of the man who invented those pack-carriers and wishing that the draft board would send him to the front line trenches) the Red Cross, our best friend by right of conquest served us with the most delicious buns and coffee—immediately our burdens became sixty pounds lighter and smiles of the Doug Fairbanks' class suddenly adorned our faces and we again voted the never-tiring Red Cross, our most gracious benefactor.

In a short time we were ordered aboard and as each man stepped up on the gang-plank, he was handed a "billet slip." We were not to part

First Away--The Hudson

Note how the Super-Six Leads on Every Road in Get-a-way—As a Traveler and in Numbers.

In city traffic, the driver of a motor feels the fullest amount of satisfaction or chargin in the acceleration of the car he handles.

It is easily the most important quality in a car to the man who drives primarily to save time. Many cars, which have plenty of speed once they have gained momentum, are always far behind in city travel, because their sluggish acceleration loses so much time in the numerous stops and starts. Such cars are an exasperation.

ognized that the drivers of other types usually concede the Super-Six right of way.

But acceleration is only one item among the qualities that make all Hudson owners enthusiasts. Its great reserve of power that springs instantly at a touch to do any bidding, its endurance and dependability are all sources of pride and constant satisfaction to the hosts who drive Hudsons.

60,000 Prove All Alike

The Hudson holds more worth while records than any other stock car has ever shown. Sixty thousand owners are daily demonstrating in practical, every day use, the great qualities revealed in the establishing of those records.

There is a shortage of Hudsons this year—greater in proportion to output even than that of last year, and of the two years before, when the Super-Six was first issued, and when thousands vainly tried to secure them. If you are intending to buy a Hudson Super-Six this year you would do well to speak now.

Where Supremacy is Shown

The Hudson Super-Six holds the acceleration records. But it is not on the test course that its supreme mastery of pick-up is best proved. It is at thousands of city crossings, controlled by the traffic policeman's arm and whistle. At any of these crossings watch the Hudson flash away in the lead when the barrier goes up. Mark then how swiftly it opens the gap between itself and following cars. So well is Hudson leadership of acceleration rec-

Huey Motor Co.

How to Make Your Bank Your Friend

Square dealings, prompt payments, and open and above-board methods are what make a bank your friend.

And a bank is a friend indeed and a friend in need. This bank's constant influence is to promote the highest form of integrity among the citizens of the community and to lend it's assistance in every way possible commensurate with sound banking principles.

First Guaranty State Bank CISCO, TEXAS.

THE BANK OF STEADY SERVICE

No Depositor has Ever Lost a Dollar in a State Bank of Texas

with this slip under any circumstance as it proved that one had a right to be on board (who would be so stupid as to lose this slip and have some "husky" Naval officer order him off after getting this far?) it also bears the number of ones berthing space, informing him where he is to live, eat and sleep while on board. In addition to this, it contains a few short instructions on how to get about on the ship.

Upon stepping aboard we were directed to our berthing space which was merely a compartment fitted up with steel triple decked bunks. On each bunk was a life preserver, these were to be worn at all times during the day and at night it could be

used as a pillow, so having it there, we enjoyed an added feeling of safety.

It was only after a struggle to gain possession of two first upper bunks which, were near each other, that we were assigned to them and pal and I after ridding ourselves of our bunglesome packs, proceeded at once to give the old "girl" the "once over" and get an idea as to her proportions and general layout. After scouting about and upon talking to a sailor we were soon convinced that the ship actually carried three thousand and five hundred troops in addition to her ballast of cargo and as we watched company after company of infantry troops come aboard, our

doubts of the ships capacity completely vanished.

A ship being likened to a house afloat has its kitchens, which are called galleys, compartments which are called hatches and booms which are called decks. To learn the names of all the parts of the ship would consume much time so we learned only the names of those parts which were to figure in our actions daily. Every ship is practically built up of bulkheads and decks, one placed above the other, etc. The number of bulkheads and decks of course, varies with the size, type and character of the ship but the system of nam-

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When and Where Investments in Oil Royalty Pays

WHEN IS IT SAFE to invest for reasonably quick profit?
WHEN AM I SURE to get my money back with good dividends?
WHERE CAN I INVEST my small means and stand an equal showing with those who have plenty of money?

These were questions which were confronting us a few days ago; and probably they were and are now confronting you.

To answer the first question, we will state that when the Oil boom began many began to buy leases and royalty promiscuously over the supposed oil districts without consideration of where drilling contracts were being located, and whether or not this would be proven territory. Consequently many own leases and royalty that they will have to hold for a long time before they may be able to dispose of them and which may never be in oil bearing territory.

In answering the second question, we wish to state that no Oil Company or successful Oil men have risked their all in any one well but they checker-board the territory by buying a lease or royalty here and yonder so that if they fail in the first they surely will not fail in all of them.

The third question, we answer by stating that the limited capital of the small means man is seriously against him. He may invest his little means in the purchase of one small amount of royalty and lose or win. If he loses it is his last chance and his hard earned cash is gone with no possible chance of

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**AN INTERESTING STORY
OF OVERSEAS TRIP**
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ing them has been standardized and it is not a delicate matter to discover which deck you are standing on. The method is as follows: The decks are lettered from the uppermost deck downward as "A" deck, "B" deck, "C" deck and so on according to the number of decks that the ship possesses. The compartments of a ship are merely parts of the ship; on the order of a large room, divided off in bulkheads which cause a vessel to resemble a honeycomb, built on a large scale. These are built similar to decks from the hold of the ship, up to the main or "well" deck, forming the hatches in which troops are quartered. Many doors and passage-ways connect these compartments, providing access to and from them and having a system of numbering; they can be easily located after one gets acquainted with the general layout and the number on his billet-slip.

Washrooms on board were very conveniently located but they lacked a very essential element for their "popularity" i. e., fresh water. Upon the completion of our sight-seeing tour, which included a trip to the engine room and a close examination of the huge guns, we found our hands rather dirty so we dashed to the washroom to remedy this condition. We were greatly puzzled to find that our soap would bring forth no lather and the harder we rubbed the gummiar our hands became, until it suddenly dawned upon us that it was salt water and that it would be our privilege to wash in salt water for many days to come.

As all ships are constructed on certain well defined principles, which are governed entirely by the kind of service in which they will be engaged and as this one as well as many other U. S. troop ships were formerly German Passenger ships; it follows that the explanation of the construction of one would suffice for all. The upper decks, of course, were originally intended for first and second class passengers but now the staterooms and saloons are occupied by officers; the topmost deck is used for the ships headquarters and living quarters for the ship's commander and other naval officers. On this deck is also located the radio apparatus which keeps us in touch with the outside world thru the daily receipt of important news headlines and current events, also thru being able to summon assistance should we meet with serious trouble.

We spent the remainder of the day chasing about the ship from the topmost deck to the hold taking in everything and shooting rapid-fire questions to every sailor we saw; trying to learn all there was to know about the Navy, in one single day. We also spent much time gazing over the New York skyline and in watching the many excursion boats pass up and down the Hudson.

Had a wonderful sleep and as there was no bugle call on board, we arose at the absurd hour of 7:30 A. M. We were served breakfast at 9:30 and it was then that we were informed, much to our distress, that only two meals per day would be served during the voyage. This information disturbed our peace of mind no little, for even then we were stricken with the most "wicked" appetites—what would it be later on?

Considerable rush and hurry in getting the steamer loaded was sufficient evidence that we would sail within a few hours. Our cards an-

nouncing our safe arrival overseas were placed in the mail bag at the head of the gang-plank.

This mail was to be left at the Port of Embarkation until the ship was reported by cable, as having arrived safely at her destination. When this report is received, such mail is then dispatched, thereby saving considerable time in letting the folks back home, know that you had landed safely.

About 12:30 came the big sensation; the tug-boats were towing us away from the dock out in the harbor and we were at last on our way! The Infantry band had struck up a lively tune and the husky shouts of many soldiers greeted the waving of many handkerchiefs from passing ferry-boats and office windows of New York's great skyscrapers and I daresay every man of us experienced a thrill of emotion as we steamed past the Statue of Liberty.

This was not the general method of procedure, as usually when a troop ship sets sail out for sea, there is no noisy demonstration attending it for the troops are all tucked away in their bunks, sleeping soundly and dreaming of the adventures awaiting them across the sea. While they sleep the ship slips quietly out from the pier and is headed East when the following morning the troops arise and proceed out on the deck they are greeted with the sight of a broad expanse of water.

Soon we were out of the harbor where we picked up ships that had been taking on cargo and troops in the near vicinity of our pier, and that were to form a part of the convoy.

A little farther out, we were alarmed, (slightly) upon hearing the roar of huge guns—first thinking we had been attacked by subs, we elbowed our way to the rail to have a look at the elusive craft; being disappointed, we then thought perhaps it was a salute to incoming vessels and gave it no more thought until an obliging sailor told us that we were passing the Naval gun testing ground on Sandy Hook.

We then sailed in a coastwise direction for the purpose of picking up the other ships of our convoy, which included eleven other large troop-ships, several of German make one battleship, two submarine chasers and three destroyers, which carried the deadly depth bomb, most feared by Sub crews at that time. In addition to this seemingly ample protection, there were anchored at varying intervals, several vessels flying large observation balloons and only men who have had an opportunity to fly over water, can appreciate their great value as their one great advantage is that the observer at a considerable height can very readily detect objects submerged at a great depth. There were also numerous naval hydroplanes which maneuvered over and around the completed convoy for many miles out.

With all the above described protection which we were to have during the entire voyage and being able to see, at all times, every ship in the convoy, there was hardly room for a feeling or thought of danger from submarines, altho' the submarine warfare was still being waged unabatedly at that time. With every available means of protection afforded us and with no expense being spared for the highest efficiency of each, we experienced a feeling of devotion for our country as we had never experienced before.

A glance at our convoy, aside from seeing numerous other vessels of all descriptions, coming and going, impressed upon our minds more viv-

idly the true meaning of the famous slogan: "A bridge of ships across the Atlantic," as an open defiance to Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare.

The ocean being new to most of us, we spent most of the afternoon leaning on the rail and gazing out across the great expanse of ocean-blue watching the waves rise and fall, wondering at the mysteries their depths would unfold could they but speak.

"Call to Quarters" was sounded and the "smoking lamp" put out, at five o'clock, due to the fact that the darkness falls early on the ocean; this meant that we were to discontinue smoking and go directly to our bunks. All lights were extinguished except the ones marking passage-ways inside the ship and these were dimly shaded with a coat of blue paint; smoking was now taboo until the following morning and anyone found disobeying this order, was placed under guard and consequently under suspicion, for the remainder of the voyage. All this was clearly understood, for at night, even the glow of a cigar can be seen for many miles and it was essential to make the ship as nearly invisible as possible.

As the following day dawned, we were out on deck early to witness our first sunrise on the ocean and needless to say, we were not disappointed for the first rays of that October morn's sun were far more beautiful as they played upon the rolling waves, than we had anticipated.

It was really amusing to watch our fellow passengers as they filed out on deck, try to sense a feeling of that much dreaded seasickness. Some few of them would merely peek their heads out, have a look at the sea, blink their eyes, roll them, then shut them and thinking they were in the first stages, do an "about face" and go back to their compartment.

About 8:30 A. M., we started to fall in line for breakfast and as there were only two messing compartments each 20x50 to accommodate over

three thousand men (with standing room only) it can readily be seen that the long mess lines moved rather slowly and it required no little patience and good nature, if one happened to be at the end of the line, to await one's turn even tho' he had no appetite. Handicapped as they were, it required several hours to give the last man his breakfast and we clearly understood that it was for this reason alone that only two meals a day were served.

We were assailed with terrible appetites and consequently put our heads together to dope out some way in which we could arrange for a third meal occasionally; rather a meeting of the "Ways (hay) and Means (beans) Committee," for even in camp life a soldier's appetite is no myth to say nothing of his life on board ship where he gets plenty of exercise crowding his way thru from place to place, on crowded decks to say nothing of the braeing effect of the ocean breezes. Our plans soon materialized when the ship's Chief Master at arms came around looking for a detail for a job that required about ten minutes time after dark each night. He informed us that there would be about fifteen on the detail therefore it would be a very simple task, also that we would be given an extra meal to noon with the "detail mess" and be given a Chief Master-at-Arms pass entitling us to go anywhere on the ship and to be out on deck at any time that we would be served with sandwiches and hot coffee upon the completion of our task each and every night. Did we get on his detail?—Foolish question for we were virtually on his detail when he first mentioned the extra meal!—
(To be Continued next week.)

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The value of Cisco's box was \$731.50, the value of the boxes from the other auxiliaries, not having yet been reported to the Cisco office.

The Cisco Boy Scouts are to be commended for their help in collecting the clothes, at this time the boys manifested a cheerful and willing spirit in lending their assistance to the committee and seemed to realize the importance of this relief work for the less fortunate people.

AND EIGHT CAME BACK

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In the Ypres region, along the Messines ridge, back and forth on through villages that were taken and retaken time and again in the same week, up and down hills that were tagged with numerals of identity them as outposts that must be held or taken, the hellish carnival raged. And eight returned to tell of it.

The blood of those who died is on the heads of British politicians who for ten years preceding the war resisted every effort made to put England into a state of defense. Such politicians atone by proxy for their sins. The bill is paid by a younger generation in the bloody days that follow.

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LADIES' RAIN COATS. We only have a small assortment of these coats to offer at very low prices, so come in the first day and get a real rain coat bargain.

YOUR NEW EASTER SUIT

When ever a man thinks of buying a Suit, the first thing that enters his mind is, who carries Hart Schaffner and Marx Clothes, or if he wants a little cheaper suit he wonders who carries the known price clothes Style-Plus, and our solution to this thought is, that John H. Garner's has either line that you may decide on, so don't hesitate to come here for that suit you are going to buy for your Easter Dress Up, and you can save almost enough to buy you a pair of Oxford or one of those crepe dechine shirts you have been wanting. Every Suit in the house goes on sale at great savings to you.

COME!-COME!-COME!

MEN'S SHOES AND OXFORDS We will offer bargains in Men's oxfords, that you have not seen before. We have about eight or ten dozen pairs to offer at prices that you can't help but buy a pair. All sizes, 5 1/2 to 11. Great Easter price **\$2.95**

WE HANDLE EDWIN CLAPP AND WALK OVER SHOES AND OXFORDS.

Our line has never been more complete than it is now, and just at a time when every man will want a new pair to wear with his new Easter suit, and just think, every pair will be offered in this Great Easter Sale at a wonderful saving to every man who buys.

GREAT SUIT SALE

We have gone through our stock, and have about fifty odd Suits to close out at prices much cheaper than we could own them at to-day, but in order to sell every single one of them during this sale, we have put prices on them, that can't help but move them, so if you want a real bargain, you had better come early, for they won't last long. Priced at one-half regular price.

MEN'S PALM BEACH AND MOHAIR SUITS

We have just received this week several hundred of these real Summer Suits and as they are in the house we will place them on sale with the rest of our Wool Suits, so now is the time to buy your Palm Beach or Mohair Suit for Summer. Every one specially priced.

CURTAIN GOODS, CRETONNE AND DRAPERIES

Great assortment of these materials to put on sale and at prices you can't afford to pass up. Now is the time to buy your drapery and Curtain goods for that new home you are building or figuring on building. Every yard at special prices.

WHITE GOODS SECTION

When it comes to white goods, we have never been more prepared to care for your wants than we are now, so don't hesitate to call for any material you want in white goods.

ORGANDIES, VOILES, LINENS, FLAXON

Danty's-Nain Sook (White and Flesh) Pajamas Checks, Linen sheeting, and dozens of pieces of new white wash skirting. Not one piece of goods reserved out of this sale, every yard at great savings to all.

STANDARD FULL COUNT GINGHAM

We have only a limited amount of this Gingham to offer at such remarkably low prices. So come early while the assortment is good. Regular 35c Gingham **23c** Regular 50c Gingham **39c** Sale price

Remember these are the best grades of Gingham on the market.

SHIRTS- SHIRTS! SHIRTS!

25 DOZEN SHIRTS, 25 DOZEN We have the finest assortment of Shirts to offer the men of Cisco and surrounding territory at prices you have never witnessed before, this is not an odd lot Shirt assortment, but have all sizes from 14 to 19 in all the desirable colors, and are made by one of the best Shirt manufacturers in the country, so don't be afraid to come early, for they will not last longer than the first three days of this sale. Values up to \$2.00. Sale Price **\$1.10**

MEN'S SILK SHIRTS

Whenever a man wants a nice Silk Shirt he naturally looks to John H. Garner's. We have just received about six dozen beautiful Silk Shirts for this Great Easter Sale. Every Silk and Special Prices.

MEN'S WORK CLOTHING

Here you will find the very best lines of work clothes that at any time you can get the very article you are looking for. Union All, Carhart Overalls and Juniper, Carhart Painters, Miller Brothers, Fincks, Khaki, Plain and lace trousers, and jackets and every garment on sale at Special Price. **Union All Special:** We offer for this sale a Khaki, Juniper union all for only **\$2.90**

MEN'S EASTER NECKWEAR

We have just received our great Easter assortment of these beautiful ties, shown in all the season's newest shapes and colors. Prices regular ranging from 50c to \$3.00, but will offer great savings in this Great Easter Sale.

MEN'S PLAIN AND FANCY HOSIERY

We are showing a wonderful line of men's silk and lisle hose, also the new plaid, stripes and lace hose that are wanted by all the best dressers. Every pair in the house on sale at savings to you.

MEN'S HAT SALE

We have to offer in this Sale several dozen Men's fancy shape hats, in odd lots, most any color you may want; hats that are as good as any \$5.00 hat you may find, but as the sizes are broken, we are offering your choice for **\$1.95**

We have about two hundred staple shapes in hats, to close out during this Great Easter Sale, at prices much cheaper than the whole sale price is today, so come early and make your selection. All priced for Quick Selling. See our wonderful line of the World's Best Malory Hats. Green, tan, pearl, brown, taupe and black, every Malory and Stetson hat in the house goes in the sale at great savings to you.

Here you will find the most complete line of caps that is shown in Cisco, consisting of all the novelties for men, young men and boys. Every cap at a special Easter Price.



Malory Hats

MEN'S SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Now is the time when you begin to think how many new suits of underwear you are going to have to buy for summer. So why not get a list of all your garments and come down during this Great Easter Sale and buy a supply. Every union suit and separate garment goes in this Great Sale at reduced prices.

ARROW COLLAR SALE

ARROW COLLAR SALE We have accumulated about fifty dozen odd lots in these best grades of Arrow Collars. Most any size you may want, and some high and low Collars, but in order to move them out of the way, we offer these 25c Collars for **10c** Each

MEN'S ODD PANTS

We have just received dozens of Men's odd pants. So now is your chance to get a pair of pants to match your odd coat, or an extra knock-about pair. Every pair on sale during this great Easter Sale. Black, Greys, Blues, Checks and Stripes in Palm Beach or Wool.

Men's Best Standard Union Made Overalls, on sale for ten days only. Pair **\$1.50**



We haven't the space to enumerate everything carried in this Great Department Store. We want you to know that nothing will be held back. Everything goes in this Great Easter Sale. Nothing but high grade Standard lines of merchandise carried. You are absolutely safe in trading at our store. Our slogan has been and always will be "QUALITY IS THE THING." Our customers know this. Our store will be closed all day Tuesday in order to arrange our stock. **NO GOODS CHARGED AND NO APPROVALS DURING THIS SALE**

SPECIAL ONE DAY ONLY

For Tuesday, April 15, we are going to offer Leonard Refrigerators at a discount of 10 per cent.

We have just received a car of Leonard Refrigerators and owing to the scarcity of floor space in our building we are going to put a special discount on the entire line of different sizes for Tuesday only.

If you are anticipating buying a refrigerator this season, you cannot afford to miss this sale as the Leonard is known everywhere as being the best refrigerator that can be obtained and the price made on this date will give you an opportunity of owning a Leonard at a very reasonable sum.

Don't forget the date and come early in order that you may be able to get the pattern you want and remember that this sale lasts one day only and is on refrigerators alone.

H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

CISCO, TEXAS.

MAJOR JOHN W. BUTTS.

The subject of this sketch was born September 26, 1890. He spent his early childhood in Cisco, where in 1906 he graduated from the Cisco High School, and then entered the A. & M. College at College Station, Texas, where he remained until in March 1910. He received appointment to West Point and left A. & M. just before time for him to graduate. He spent four years at West Point and graduated from that school in 1914, and then received his commission as second lieutenant and joined the regular army. He spent 1915 on the Texas-Mexico border with General Pershing and carried the mail in airplanes. He spent a good deal of his time at the various aviation schools, and after graduating he was instructor in these schools. He spent quite a while in Texas, some time in California, and in the eastern states, and was at the time of his untimely death at Americus, Ga., where he was killed in an accident on April the 3rd. The fun-

eral services were held at the field where he was located and the remains were taken to West Point for interment. The mother, Mrs. J. J. Butts, and sister, Miss Mary, were present to attend the funeral.

This young man was not only the pride of his parents, but of the entire city of Cisco. He proved from the time that he was a small boy that he had the stuff in him to make a real man, and the real stickability which he had in him made him a real man. He was studious, kind and ambitious, and was constantly striving for something higher and something better in life. He was not satisfied any where but at the top. His career was watched with great admiration by his home people as well as the hundreds of friends which he had made wherever he went. His promotions came rapidly because he proved his ability. William Butts was a man, every inch of him and was as good a soldier as he was a man, and to have a young man's life snuffed out just at the time when his great usefulness was need-

ed seems a great calamity, but providence decreed it and his relatives and friends, although greatly grieved will submit.

It is sad to give up one whose influence among men would doubtless been for great good; who was by precept and example calculated to spread abroad the blessed influence created by the life of a real man. The human link snapped asunder on earth is forged anew in heaven. It is true that when youth is gone not much of life remains. In the spring time of enthusiasm and tenderness, ere the sunshine of hope and joy was extinguished, he passed to the glorious beyond. Clustering about the flowers that are blooming there, mingling with the oppressive silence that shrouds the revered spot, where the body lays, and quivering amidst the gloom of the grave the holiest memories speak in tones that fill the ear and thrill the sorrowing heart. All that there was of the life that has faded into the night of endless sleep; its lights and its shadows; its sweetness and its nobility; its power and its purity, pass before us like a rapidly moving panorama. Under such influence, with such a thrilling picture of days gone and of worthy deeds done we pause for a time to speak of the beloved dead.

Major Butts left a wife and a baby, a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Butts, two sisters and one brother, who have the heartfelt sympathies of hundreds of friends.

EASTLAND RAILROAD LETS GRADING CONTRACT

Eastland, Texas, April 9.—At a meeting of the directors of the Eastland, Wichita Falls and Gulf Railway, held in Eastland Tuesday, a contract was let to Maney Bros. & Company, railroad contractors of Oklahoma City to grade the roadbed from Mangum, on the Katy lines, seven miles south of here, north via Eastland to the county line, between Stephens and Eastland Counties. The contract calls for work to begin not later than April 15 and the grading of the sixteen miles of roadbed must be completed before Aug. 1.

This is the first link of the road which will extend north to Wayland in Stephens County and then northeast through the Stephens County oil fields to Caddo and then north to Newcastle, where it will join the Wichita Falls & Southern.

Wanted:—Some one to do housework about two hours every morning.—Mrs. J. W. Triplett, West Broadway. 482tp

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THE FINANCE OF THE SOVIET

There is a temptation to use baby-talk in contradicting progandists of a certain type. Even in words of one syllable there is little hope of conveying a meaning that will be understood. Self-evident truths that should need no expression at all will hardly commend themselves through the medium of any kind of language of those who have not yet recognized their obviousness.

Here is one. A dollar is of no value except by virtue of the government's guarantee behind it. Make that guarantee untrustworthy, and the dollar is useless. No one will accept it in exchange for goods.

You can't eat a dollar. You can't make a shirt of it. You can't put it into your victrola and make it play a tune.

Put a dollar between two slices of bread and masticate it. It makes a poor substitute for a ham sandwich costing one tenth of that sum.

And yet the soviet government of Russia has been printing paper money at the rate of 200,000 rubles a day for some comic reason not yet revealed. It advanced 96,000,000 rubles to the Putiloff works one of Russia's greatest factories, where 660,000,000 rubles were spent in wages in a period during which the total output was valued at less than a quarter of that amount. Paper rubles lie around everywhere like discarded street car transfers—but no pies are being baked, no shoes are being made, no talking machine records, no movies films, no chewing gum or candy. Only money.

Many a bum in Russia has plenty of cash, but he is a trifle shy on chow. The ruble has depreciated 95 per cent in the interior of the country, and a farmer would rather eat his produce or feed it to his livestock than exchange it for currency that will not buy anything.

They have been at it for a year and a half now, and the above conditions, described by the unprejudiced Socialist Kautsky who has nothing to gain by exaggeration, are the results.

And yet there are cranks who want to try it in America.

Willie—Faw, what is a silent partner?

Faw—A husband, my son.

Maw—Willie you keep your mouth shut!

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Was playing music at her window—the man with Jacobs and Pangburn's fine candies, she welcomed. Not all things in life are sweet—But our Jacob and Pangburn's—Oh! well if you have tasted them you know what the world knows.

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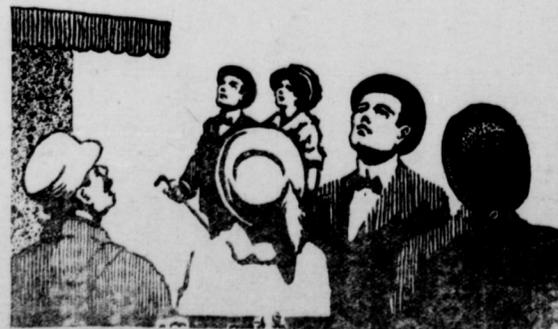
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Any one who uses or ought to use paints and varnishes, should remember that we have the agency for

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in this locality. For fifty years this line has been the world's leader—that's why we chose it; and we are leaders in good things here—that's why they chose us. It's a pretty good combination to do business with.



HIGGINBOHAM LUMBER CO.

THE NEW STORE'S Great Stock Reducing Sale

This new Department Store with unusual quality and reduced prices, pays everybody to give us an opportunity to show what we have before trading elsewhere, as we believe we can give you the kind of merchandise you want at greatly reduced prices. Below we quote you a few specials for Saturday only:

<p>2000 Yards Hope Domestic at per yard 15c Not over ten yards to each customer</p>	<p>Men's Overalls \$2.50 Regular. \$1.69 at</p>
<p>100 Dozen Spools O. N. T. and Merrick Thread, 7 spools for 25c Not over 25 cents to each customer</p>	<p>Men's \$1.50 Work Shirts 98c at Men's \$1.00 Shirts 69c at</p>
<p>20 Dozen Cans Colgate's, Mennen's and Williams' Talcum Powder, 25c 9c Regular at per can</p>	<p>200 Boxes of Shoe Polish, Shinola, 2 in 1 Whitmore's, 15c regular 4c at One box to each customer only</p>

The Nime DRY GOODS CO.

Nature's Gift to _____ _____ Cisco Home Builders Elfrethom Heights

— BUY NOW BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE —

This beautiful addition is on one of the highest elevations in the city and every lot lies high, dry and level, overlooking the entire city of Cisco. Your choice out of 240 lots—everyone a homesite—only 72 to be sold. These lots at the present price have greater value than any other lots in the city of Cisco, irrespective of price or location. These lots are underlain with an unlimited supply of CLEAR, soft well water at a depth of 220 ft. and no filters necessary. Also 2 feet of oil bearing sand at a depth of 184 feet. For verification of this statement, will be glad for you to ask the driller who is now drilling water wells on this tract of land. Remember Burkburnett's shallow showing and what lots mean there today.

No mineral rights are reserved on the lots in Elfrethom Heights. Better get in on this before it is too late. The soil of this addition will grow all kinds of vegetables and flowers, and every lot in this addition is well parked with shade trees. No dust in the addition. Come over while a dust storm is on and see for yourself. Lots are all 50 feet wide and from 140 to 180 ft. deep, fronting on 60 foot streets and with 20 foot alleys. The largest lots and most desirable homesites in town. You have lot opportunities in real estate and homesites in Cisco go by in the past—DON'T LET THIS ONE. Drive out today and see this opportunity. **DON'T BE AMONG THE WAILERS OF LOST OPPORTUNITIES.** Some prominent citizens, seeing the values in this property, have made purchases lately.



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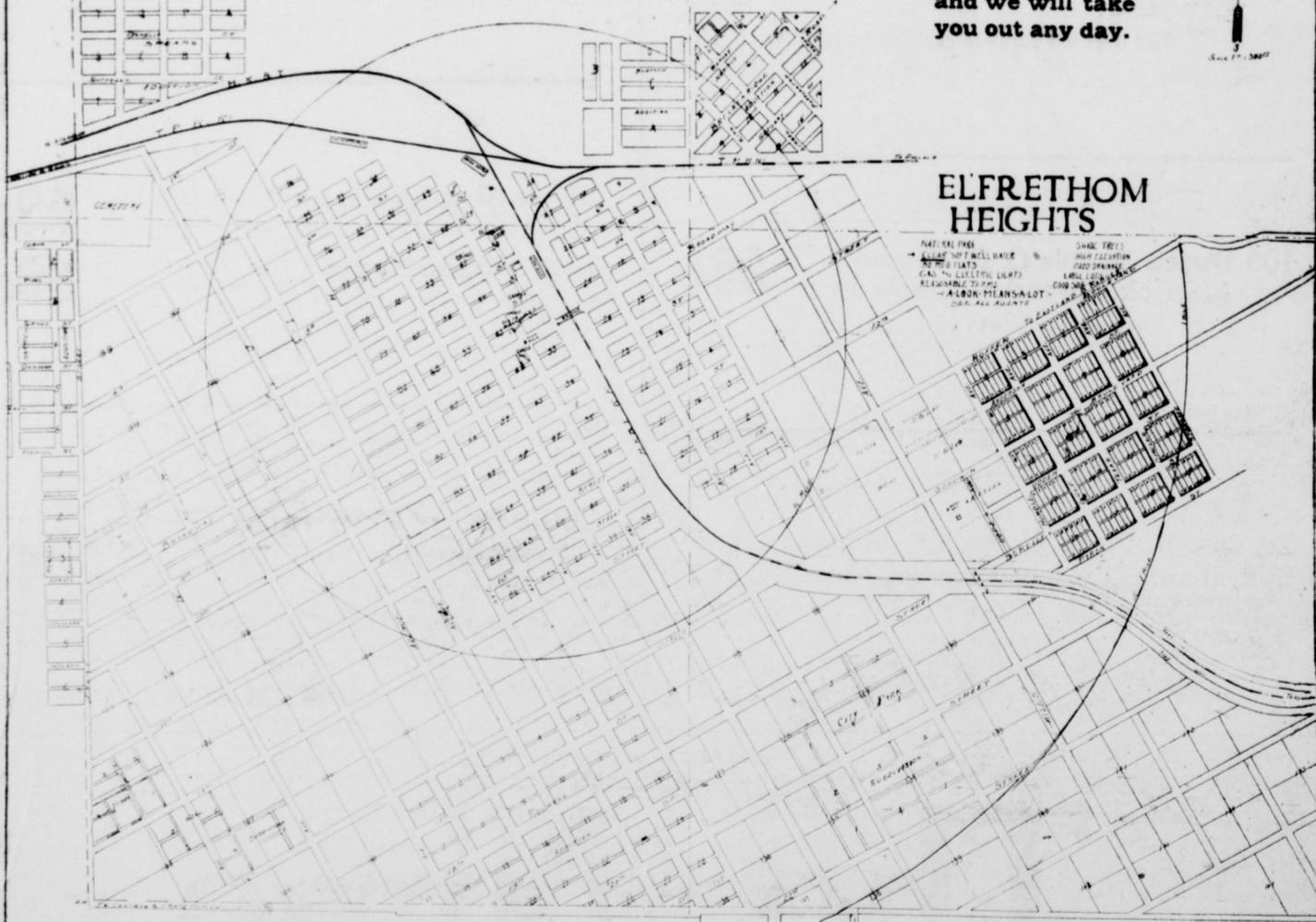
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 ALL LOTS 50 FEET WIDE
 140 TO 180 FEET DEEP
 FRONTING ON 60 FOOT STREETS
 WITH 20 FOOT ALLEYS
 ALL CITY UTILITIES AVAILABLE
 NO CITY TAXES TO PAY
 SEE ALL AGENTS

Center of this Addition is 4500 Feet from Flag Pole
 On Avenue D.



A Look Means a Lot

After seeing this property, we will leave it to your judgment as being the best location for a home. All water, gas and electric lines will be placed in the alleys. Yes, gas and light lines will be put in this addition. This addition will have all city conveniences without having to pay city taxes. Don't forget that this site is the coolest place to live in Cisco.

The Times

CISCO ROUND-UP

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resses just received from New York, our choice for \$15.00 for a few days.

CISCO A RIIS

Let us show you the prettiest line of ladies' Pumps and Oxfords in town.

E. E. KEAN, Dry Goods.

PERSONAL & LOCAL

Judge D. K. Scott was a business visitor to Eastland Monday.

Howard Fulwiler visited in Abilene Sunday.

Stokes & Winston for Upper Ten Flour. 49c

Mrs. Jack Wilson and baby are visiting in Abilene this week.

Staple and fancy Groceries. Stokes and Winston. 49c

Attorney C. R. Starnes of Eastland was in the city Tuesday.

The best grade of flour at Vanderford's Feed Store. 1tc

Judge N. N. Rosenquest was over from Eastland yesterday.

Where do I get lamp globes? At Jno Sherman's.

Miss Evelyn Lawrence spent Sunday in Cross Plains with home-folks.

All kinds of feed at Vanderford's Feed Store. 1tc

Mrs. A. A. Webster has returned from a stay of several weeks in Dallas.

Grain and Seed at Wight and Anthony Grain Store. 49c

Mrs. Richard Hughes is spending the week in Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Garner were in DeLeon Friday and Saturday of last week.

Choice Alfalfa hay at Vanderford's Feed Store. 1tc

Mrs. Claude Gaines and children of Clifton, Arizona are visiting relatives in Cisco.

J. W. Hagne and son, Herman of Eastland were in Cisco Monday on business.

Look on page 5 for our ad it may interest you.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co. 1tc

Who stand waiting him to shame. stores get out of man or woman who and not really man in this each prog Th to ing ter an pelled y of d minds funny st negro y the was he of time.

Miss Wilda Shackelford of Cross Plains visited Miss Evelyn Lawrence Monday.

Burton-Lingo Company

LUMBER, SHINGLES and a complete stock of BUILDING MATERIA. Let us save you money. You will lose money if you fail to let us figure your bill.

Burton-Lingo Company

Norton Gray, Plumbin I AM PREPARED TO GIVE ESTIMATES ON THE SMALLEST AND LARGEST

You may lose if you fail to read our ad on page 5.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.



You will like to trade with us, we have what you want and get it to you when you want it.—Stokes-Winston, Grocers. 49c

Mrs. R. A. St. John visited her son, W. F. St. John in Eastland last week, during the illness of Mrs. W. F. St. John.

Latest records—A large stock of Columbia Records.—The Electric Shop, opposite Daniels Hotel.

Mrs. William Williams has returned to her home in Gatesville after a stay of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Umphrey Lee.

2 Million Nancy Hall Potato Slips at \$3.50 per 1,000 begin delivery about April 29th.—Pate Bros. Stephenville, Texas. 17 4tp

T. J. Galbraith, an architect of Dallas spent the week in this city preparing the plans and specifications for the new Methodist church.

Mrs. J. H. Calhoun and daughter Mrs. W. J. Foxworth have been spending the week in Dallas, with Mrs. G. E. Drewery.

If you have a car for sale bring it to Wayside Garage. We will demonstrate it for you, rates reasonable. 484tp

Rev. and Mrs. Umphrey Lee, accompanied by Mrs. William Williams motored to Comanche Monday.

Dr. J. J. Kellman of Dallas spent several days in the city. He is one of the leading Baptist ministers of Texas and was for a number of years pastor of the Coleman church.

P. L. Parker, county tax assessor of Eastland has been spending the past two weeks in Cisco assessing property for the state and county taxes.

Prof Gordon of Corsicana will give a show at the City Hall next Monday and Tuesday nights, benefit the First Industrial Art Club. 1tc

Mrs. J. H. Featherstone returned to Dallas last week to visit relatives before going to her home at Roanoke, Va., following a short stay with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Leslie, in this city.

If you are contemplating building let us figure on your plumbing and gas fittings.—Texas Plumbing Co., South Ave. D, phone 473. 49tfc

Mrs. J. D. Alexander and Clinton are in Dallas this week attending the State meeting of the Woodmen circle and Woodmen of the World as delegates from the local orders.

WAYSIDE GARAGE East Cisco, on Breckenridge road. General repair work. 48-4tp

Why is the Kettle on Maud's Purina Tail, \$200 for the best answer. See Boon. 42-4tf

or a year away, a man will leave one paying accept a better one—whereas if he immediately would fear that he would not

Have you been out to the Harrell West Side Addition lately? It surely is looking good out that way.—The Whiteley Co., Agents.

Edgar Butts of El Paso spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Cisco and was accompanied home by his little daughter, Helen Virginia, who has been visiting her grandfather, J. J. Butts.

A variety of interesting electrical appliances in our stock. You're always welcome. The Electric Shop opposite Daniels Hotel.

J. E. Luse has returned from a trip to the coast and is very much benefited in health. Mr. Luse has been suffering with throat trouble for sometime and we are glad to report that his condition is improved.

The latest Columbia Records—large assortment. The Electric Shop opposite Daniels Hotel.

Clinton L. Alexander returned home Friday from Camp Bowie having received his discharge from the army, since his return from overseas last Tuesday with the 133rd artillery.

Anderson-Crawford Co., city property, insurance, oil properties, advertising. Office Daniels building.

Miss Mary Jane Butts joined her mother in Fort Worth last Saturday, Mrs. Butts being en route home from Austin, where she had been called by the illness of her aged mother, and together they continued the trip to West Point, N. Y. to attend the funeral of Major William Butts.

It does not matter who or what has failed to cure your granulated eye trouble. Write Box 94, Blum, Texas and find the cure. 1tp

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A. B. Lewis and S. S. Lowrey of McAlester, Oklahoma, are now located in Cisco, representing the Texas Midland Auto and Truck Co. Mr. Lewis is district manager and Mr. Lowrey is office and business manager. These gentlemen have come to Cisco, because its future appeals to them, more than any other in the state of Texas.

How about some oil company, bank, or other business concern building a grand stand on the High School campus? If interested, see the editor of the Round-Up.

J. G. (Pat) Murphey of San Angelo, editor of the Daily Standard, accompanied by J. T. Wilkinson of San Angelo, were in the city Tuesday looking over the oil fields. After reading the Round-Up, Editor Murphey complimented the editor and especially did he commend the first page articles which we have been running for several weeks, and he further stated that the Round-Up was a very vital part of Cisco, and that what the paper had to say was not overshooting, and that when people came here they at least found things as good as represented by the Round Up, and that was something real good.

Don't you wish that you had bought some lots in Harrell's West Side Addition when the sale first started? Well, come on and get some now. Cisco is coming fast, and this is absolutely the best value offered.—The Whiteley Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Laprade of Tulsa, Texas were in the city Sunday and Monday the guests to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Owen. Mr. Laprade has recently sold his banking business at Tulsa and was enroute to Tennessee for a visit.

"To the Citizens of Cisco and Surrounding Country"

WE WISH TO THANK the good citizens of Cisco and the surrounding territory for the many courtesies extended to us since coming here. We have located here and made this our main office because we have implicit faith and confidence in the future of Cisco. We feel that Cisco will be the "Tulsa of Texas." There must be a large city somewhere in this great oil field, Cisco will grow by leaps and bounds, population rapidly increasing from day to day. You know the history of all Oil Fields, always a large city is made. History is repeating itself today in Cisco.

Cisco is large enough, strong enough, and old enough to stand the pressure necessarily caused by a rapid growth and change from a town to a city. Railroads, water, well paved streets, hotels, schools and churches, and the citizens are to alive to the situations that are daily coming up. Cisco spells success to everybody because it has a future. That is why we have come here. Cisco is headquarters for many new supply and wholesale houses.

We wonder if the T. & P. would consider putting on a motor car from Cisco to Ranger running to Ranger in the mornings and back in the evenings.

We are thankful for the business already given us, it was appreciated, and we assure you of real service no matter how small or how large your business may be. We would be pleased to list any leases or any real estate that you might have for sale, also see us if you want to invest in choice real estate and leases. Our office is on the ground floor of the Masonic building where you will receive a welcome and assistance in any way possible. We are strangers in a strange country, however we do not expect to be strangers long, and one thing is sure we are not strangers in the real estate and oil business.

Will everybody join in and help Cisco go over the top as a city. We are here to help her and boost her.

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ABE MULKEY DIES AT CORSICANA APRIL 5TH

Corsicana, Texas, April 5.—Evangelist Abe Mulkey died at his home here today, following an illness of five weeks. The body will be buried tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock from the First Methodist church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Louisa Mulkey, daughter Mrs. Sam Sparks of Austin; two brothers, Fletcher Mulkey of Dallas and George Mulkey of Fort Worth, and two sisters, Mrs. Patterson of Dallas and Mrs. Nola Organ of Fort Worth. He was 69 years of age.

For many years Evangelist Mulkey conducted evangelistic meetings, principally in Texas but many times being called to other states going as far west as Colorado. Perhaps no man in his work was more widely known in Texas, as there is scarcely

a town or city in the State at which he has not held successful revival meetings, counting converts by the thousand, built scores of churches and lifted other scores out of debt. His last work was a campaign in behalf of the Methodist Orphanage at Waco, and some of the latest and best improvements are the result of his last work.

Under the strain of work he fell victim to a nervous breakdown, which ended his life. In all of his evangelistic work the evangelist labored untiringly for the orphanage, constantly contributing to it. He helped the poor without stint.

For several years, the Rev. Mr. Mulkey was in business in Waxahachie and later at Corsicana, where he was married to Miss Louisa Kerr. One child was born of this marriage, Royal Mulkey, who died several years ago.

The church from which the body

will be buried tomorrow was built at a time of his financial distress and he subscribed liberally to it, paying the amount in actual labor. He was one of seven men each of whom contributed \$5,000 to the Corsicana Y. M. C. A. and he had an important part in every public enterprise that stands to Corsicana's credit.

TO DISCHARGED SOLDIERS.

To a number of inquirers: On Feb. 28, 1919, an act was approved permitting discharged soldiers, sailors and marines to keep their uniforms. The same act provided for the payment of 5c per mile for discharged enlisted men, the section reading as follows: "Section 126. That an enlisted man honorably discharged from the Army, Navy or Marine Corps since Nov. 11, 1918, or who may hereafter be honorably discharged, shall receive five cents per mile from the place of discharge to his actual bona fide home or residence, original muster into the service, at his option: Provided, that for sea travel on discharge, transportation and subsistence, only shall be furnished to enlisted men. Provided, that naval reservists duly enrolled who have been honorably released from active service since Nov. 11, 1918 or who may hereafter be honorably released from active service, shall be entitled likewise to receive mileage as aforesaid." Persons interested in this provision should take the matter up with the Home Service Department of their local Red Cross chapter or, if a soldier, write to the Zone Finance Office, Lemon Building, Washington, D. C., or if a sailor, write to the Naval Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Washington, D. C.

GUN CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED

W. E. Fairless stated to a Round-Up reporter that a rifle and revolver club would be organized in the city at an early date.

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For the children and all the little ones, this management has made such special provision and attractive arrangements that they will never forget the pleasant visit to the big Backman-Tinsch Wild Animal Circus for during the visit to this clean, clever and well conducted enterprise all the little folks will be invited to ride and play with the educated ponies, the little horses and complete a full day's enjoyment. 49c

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TEXAS METHODISTS "SHOCK TROOPS"

Texas Methodists—and there are 304,155 in the churches and 227,293 in the Sunday schools—are going to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Methodist Missions by giving the biggest thank-offering ever raised in the State of Texas no less than \$5,163,996.77, the minimum which they themselves accepted.

This vast amount is to be raised in eight days, May 18-25, by the "shock troops" of 2,500 Southern Methodist churches in Texas. These troops have all been hand-picked and trained at campaign colleges, when the zero hour arrives they are going over the parapets of the most wonderful enthusiasm any church in Texas has ever known. These men will go two by two, into the homes of every Methodist in Texas, and get Victory Bonds, cash and pledges that will take care of Methodist work for the next five years to come.

Texas Methodists are to raise one-seventh of the \$35,000,000 which 2,000,000 Southern Methodists throughout the land will raise all at the same time and in exactly eight days. This \$35,000,000 is the Southern part of the \$115,000,000 to be raised by nearly 7,000,000 Methodists of America.

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6 room, new house, close in, 1 lot 60x115, 9th Street price \$6,000.00.

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1 lot, vacant, avenue F, price \$400.00, terms.

2 lots, West 9th street, \$300.00 each.

2 lots, West Broadway, \$350. each

4 lots in City Park Addition, price \$350 each corner or inside. These are the choice lots of the addition.

Business property for sale on East Broadway.

Have new building 24x50 feet with a lot 50x115 feet.

If you want real estate of any kind see the old reliable real estate company. We treat you right.—Oil Exchange Building.—Mayhew and Company. 49tfc

MY THREE C'S

I attended the citizen's mass meeting at the City Hall Monday night, and heard some splendid speeches, and saw another demonstration of the fact that citizens of Cisco know how to pull together and lift hard under a heavy load. The things done was a physical evidence of this fact, but the spirit in which it was done was the very best feature of the entire program. Efforts of this kind may oftentimes measurably succeed in a material way, and yet fail ultimately for the want of the proper morale. In a general movement in which the whole city is interested, the most important factor of all is the heart-factor. People succeed best who do that which they love to do. To want to build a railroad for the love of it would be a wonderful thing; and yet that is what will happen, so far as Cisco is concerned, when the road from Cisco to Breckenridge is built. It seems that our citizens naturally love to work together. This is as it should be. What is necessary to mark after this fashion, Three C's—Confidence, Counsel, Co-operation. We must have confidence in one another. We must meet from time to time and Counsel together. We must then put our shoulders to the wheel and pull hard until we bring something to pass, and in this business there is no place for the carping critic or the knocker. Confidence, Counsel, and Co-operation will build a great town and establish a great citizenship.—A. E. BATEN.

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Rev. J. D. Leslie, D. D., Pastor.

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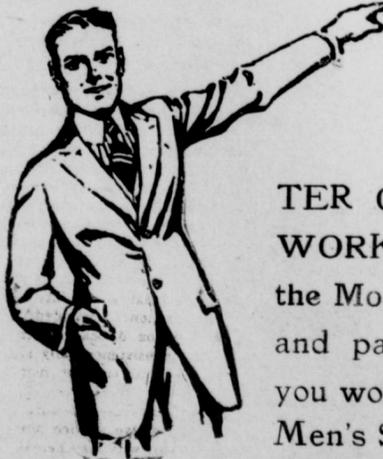
JEWISH RELIEF FUND

The Jewish Relief Committee appointed for Eastland county is as follows: M. Polsky, chairman; H. L. Winchell, treasurer; J. Kabinell, as county director; G. Fisk, publicity agent.

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MISSION STUDY CLASS

The Mission study class of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in regular session, Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the City Hall rest room.

A brief business session was held when several committees were announced and it was decided to have the Mission Study Lesson, chapter 6 in the Sons of Italy, on the fourth Tuesday in this month, instead of the work and social meeting, usually held at that time.

Members of this class will please take notice and prepare the lesson for this meeting.—Publicity Supt.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church held its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. J. B. Ammerman, at the home of Mrs. J. J. Winston Tuesday afternoon, April the 8th. The meeting was well attended, 12 members responding with facts about Missions and Missionaries and quite a number of visitors were present. The quarterly report was read and adopted. The following interesting program was carried out enthusiastically:

Opening song, Stand up For Jesus. Special prayer, Mrs. J. B. Ammerman.

Scripture reading, Mrs. E. B. Isaacks.

Paper Oriental women in literature, education and professional life, Mrs. John Elkins.

Missionary facts from the magazine, discussed in round table talk.

Slogan and aims, read in concert. Benediction.

After dismissal, the ladies remained for a while and the hostess refreshments of cherry ice and



CLARK DRUG CO.'S OPENING

The opening given by the Clark Drug Company on Monday evening from 7:30 to 10:30 o'clock was largely attended.

A three-piece colored orchestra furnished music and refreshing punch was served all callers, making the affair quite a pleasant social event. Each lady present received as a souvenir cut flowers and ferns.

Messrs Clark and Edmonston, of the Clark Drug Company firm, assisted by several ladies gave cordial greetings and the easy manner in which they cared for their guests, reflected an atmosphere of informality, which made the evening one of great pleasure.

This drug store is in the new Daniel's Hotel, on the corner of Avenue D and Broadway, and is equipped with modern furnishings, being new throughout. A new line of drugs, soda fountain and parlor, where drinks and ices are dispensed by experienced managers and clerks give promise of a good patronage for the new firm, as both Mr. Clark and Mr. Edmonston have had considerable experience in the drug business, having recently moved to Cisco.

CHILDREN'S PARTY

Little Misses Gertude Poe and Sarah Olivia Winchell, entertained with a joint birthday party last Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Winchell, having as guests a large number of their friends and schoolmates.

The little hostesses were celebrating their eleventh birthday, Gertude claiming April 2nd, and Sarah Olivia April 7th, as their natal days and received many lovely presents.

Games on the lawn, as the day was ideal and refreshments were enjoyed. The birthday cakes with eleven candles each, and pretty Easter chicks pleased the small guests. Numbers were drawn for the cutting of the cakes in search of the favors contained therein, the even numbers having a chance in one cake and the odd numbers in the other.

Mesdames H. L. Winchell, H. C. Clark and Miss Nora Winchell, children

JEWISH RELIEF CAMPAIGN

"Humanity that knows no creed" has been adopted as the slogan by the Executive Committee of the Jewish War Relief Bodard, who will wage a campaign throughout the State of Texas during the week of April 7th for the purpose of raising \$600,000 in the State towards the relief of war sufferers in Asia Minor. Every dollar subscribed to this fund goes towards the relief of sufferers in the stricken zones, all expenses necessary to the campaign being paid from private funds and sources.

Alex Sanger of Dallas, State chairman of the Jewish War Relief Committee is organizing county forces in every county of the State, and though several days still remains before the drive, over one half of the counties in the State have reported their organization complete. It is thought that every county will be organized before the start of the drive on April 7th.

The greatest suffering at this time in all of the stricken war zones exist in Palestine, Balieia, Lithuania and Poland where six million men women and children are dying from want of food and shelter. Conditions in those countries are beyond description and help must be given. The population in these countries are largely of the Jewish race, and it is because of this reason that the Jewish War Relief Committee is campaigning for \$35,000,000 in the United States to relieve their suffering and prevent the practical extermination of the race in those countries. Texas has been given a quota of \$600,000 and according to State Chairman Sanger, this amount will be easily raised. It is the first effort ever made by those of the Jewish faith to call on others for such assistance, though they have always been heavy contributors to all charitable institutions, funds for charitable purposes, Liberty Bonds, War Saving Stamps, etc.

From the organization charts being received on the various counties throughout the State who have completed their organization, it is evident that the Jewish War Relief

HOW PROHIBITION HAS RUINED NORTH DAKOTA

Oklahoma and North Dakota are the only two States of our Union bone dry. North Dakota is one of the Bone Dry states, even prohibiting the sale of Near-beer. On February 1st of this year she had in her penitentiary or 15 to every 100,000 population the lowest per capita of any state in the union. During the two years from July 1st 1912 to June 30th, 1914, 292 were sent to the penitentiary, of this number 127 were non-residents, convicted of crime while sojourning in that state.

Since July 1st, 1917, when the Federal Bone Dry law came to the assistance of the State Bone Dry law the penitentiary population has decreased from 208 to 111. Though further north than South Dakota and with a more rigorous climate, the population increased from 1890 to 1910, 202 per cent. During the same period, South Dakota, then wet increased only 67 per cent. During the 25 years of dry policy North Dakota tax levy has increased 219

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per cent the population 246 per cent of North Dakota and Morehead, of the valuation 245 per cent and bank deposits 2188 per cent, so says F. E. er of the North from each other. Paekard, State Tax Commissioner. Fargo had 32 grocery stores and no saloons, Morehead had 8 grocery stores and 28 saloons. Let us vote Texas dry on May 24th

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